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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **INOUE, Takao, et al.**

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For: **NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE BATTERY**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 1725**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page two of this paper.